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EXTRA FUNDING FOR PUTNEY PARK REJUVENATION

Ryde Council has welcomed today's announcement by the NSW Attorney General, The Hon Greg Smith SC MP, of a \$100,000 grant for the City of Ryde's Putney Park Graffiti Hotspot Project.

Putney Park was identified as a Hotspot Project in the Council's new Graffiti Action Plan, following a spate of serious graffiti and vandalism incidents in 2012 which severely damaged a number of structures in the park, rendering them unusable.

The overall aim of the Plan is to activate the area and encourage more community use of the Park to combat graffiti and vandalism, through a combination of environmental design, surveillance and education.

Full details of the Project will be unveiled at a community barbeque in October to celebrate the completion of the new playground being built at the southern end of Putney Park.

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